TB Resources for Health Care Providers
Guidelines and Recommendations
Examples of CDC Educational Materials Developed from Guidelines

- Slide Sets
- Fact Sheets
- Web
- Social media
- Matte Articles
- Guidelines
- Expert Commentaries

Examples shown include:
- CDC slide set
- Fact Sheet about TB vaccination
- CDC website page
- Social media icons (Twitter, Facebook, Podcasts)
- CDC publication cover
- Expert commentary image
Publications for Clinicians

- **Core Curriculum on Tuberculosis: What the Clinician Should Know**
- **Latent Tuberculosis Infection: A Guide for Primary Health Care Providers**
- **Interactive Core Curriculum on Tuberculosis: What the Clinician Should Know**
Mantoux TST DVD and Wallchart
Self-Study Modules, Teaching Slide Set, and Facilitator Guide for Programmatic Staff

Self-Study Modules on Tuberculosis, 1-5

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Division of Tuberculosis Elimination
2010
TB 101 for Entry-level Health Care Workers

www.cdc.gov/tb/webcourses/TB101/default.htm
Examples of General Public and Patient Education Materials
Fact Sheets

www.cdc.gov/tb/publications/factsheets/default.htm
Culturally and Linguistically Appropriate Patient Education Materials

- Developed by CDC and NJMS Global Tuberculosis Institute
- Conducted extensive formative research and evaluation
- Used health literacy and instructional design principles

Patient Education Materials – Available Languages

• Developed for populations with highest incidence rates of TB in the U.S.
  – Mexico (Spanish)
  – Philippines (Tagalog)

• In development
  – Vietnamese
Cultural Competency Materials

Promoting Cultural Sensitivity - A Practical Guide for Tuberculosis Programs

Burma
China
Laos (Hmong)
Mexico
Somalia
Vietnam
Questions and Answers about TB

General overview of TB including
• Transmission
• Testing
• Treatment
• Directly observed therapy (DOT)
• Medication side effects

Available in English and Spanish
Stop TB Poster

Describes how TB is spread and the difference between LTBI and TB disease.

- Large version (18 x 24)
  - Available online and for order
- Small version (8½ x 11)
  - Available online only
- Also available in Spanish
Online Publication Ordering System

• CDC-Funded TB Regional Training and Medical Consultation Centers (RTMCCs)
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- DTBE is funding 5 TB RTMCCs for 2013-2017
  - New Jersey Medical School Global TB Institute (NJMS GTBI), Newark, New Jersey
  - Southeastern National TB Center (SNTC), Gainesville, Florida
  - Heartland National TB Center (HNTC), San Antonio, Texas
  - Curry International TB Center (CNTC), Oakland, California
  - Mayo Clinic Center for Tuberculosis (MCCT), Rochester, Minnesota
TB RTMCCs

Focus of Activities

TB RTMCCs are regionally assigned to cover all 50 states and the U.S. territories to

• Provide training and technical assistance to increase human resource development in TB programs

• Develop and distribute TB educational materials

• Provide medical consultation to TB programs and medical providers
TB RTMCC Educational Products

• Developed based on identified needs or gaps
  – Variety of formats (e.g., print, electronic, video)
  – Available free of charge, where possible
  – Consider both regional and national audiences

• All RTMCCs’ Products Page

http://sntc.medicine.ufl.edu/RTMCCProducts.aspx
TB RTMCC Trainings

• Example of basic core courses that can be offered by each RTMCC
  – TB Program Managers’ Course
  – Contact Investigation and Interviewing Skills
  – Case Management
  – TST Train-the-Trainer
  – Clinical Intensive/Clinical Update
  – Cohort Review
RTMCC Trainings (cont.)

• Other offered courses/trainings may vary by region, based on regional needs assessment
  – TB/HIV at the Border
  – TB and Corrections
  – Cultural Awareness in TB Control
  – Advanced TB Courses
    • Expert Nurse and Medical Consultant Courses
MAYO Clinic Website

- [http://centerfortuberculosis.mayo.edu/](http://centerfortuberculosis.mayo.edu/)
www.findtbresources.org

- TB Education and Training Resources Website
- Sponsored by CEBSB
- Searchable database
- Materials in multiple languages